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Dear Examiner Stevens,

Further to my voicemail message yesterday, I have attached hereto a copy of a translation of Applicants' priority document (Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-227324) in the above captioned patent application. The translation was identified as an Attachment to Applicants' Amendment After Final filed on September 30, 2005, but was inadvertently not filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

Please associate the attached translation with the Amendment After Final.

Respectfully submitted,

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- (2) that I translated the attached document identified as corresponding to Patent Application No. 2000-227324 filed in Japan on July 27, 2000 from Japanese to English;
- (3) that the attached English translation is a true and accurate translation to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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